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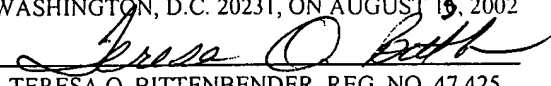
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR. § 1.111

Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed May 16, 2002 (Paper No. 10) (herein referred to as "Office Action"). Applicants respectfully request entry of this Amendment and reconsideration of the application in view thereof.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 27-38, 45 and 51-53 without prejudice. Please add new claims 60-78.

The pending claims are listed in the attached:

Appendix A: Pending claims (Clean Version of Replacement Claims).